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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Pramod K. Srivastava *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 1804

Application No.: 09/668,724

Group Art Unit: 1642

Filed: September 22, 2000

Examiner: Yaen, Christopher

For: ALPHA (2) MACROGLOBULIN RECEPTOR AS  
A HEAT SHOCK PROTEIN RECEPTOR AND  
USES THEREOF

Attorney Docket No.: 8449-128-999

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2002 and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Enclosed herewith is: 1) Exhibit A: a marked-up copy of the amended claims, with additions indicated in underlined text and deletions indicated in brackets; 2) Exhibit B: a copy of the pending claims upon entry of the instant amendment; 3) Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet; 4) a Petition for Extension of Time for a period of three months; and 5) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, with the appropriate fee, accompanied by a Supplemental a List of References Cited by the Applicant listing references DN-DW, and copies of the references.

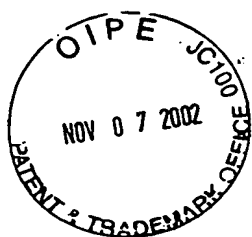
**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as follows:

Amend claims 31 and 71 to read as follows:

31. (twice amended) A method for modulating an immune response comprising administering to a human a purified [compound] which decreases the interaction of a first heat shock protein with the alpha (2) macroglobulin receptor, and is in an amount [effective] to [modulate] the immune response of said human, wherein the compound is other

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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$0.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

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Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.  
A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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